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REQUEST FOR STATUS OF APPLICATION

Sir:

Applicants have not received correspondence from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in response to the Request for Status of Application, filed on June 29, 2006, for the above-referenced application. Applicants respectfully request an update as to the status of this application.

We respectfully note the following sequence of events for this application.

In December 2003, a Change of Correspondence Address was filed by applicants and received by the USPTO. Unfortunately, the first office action for this application was apparently mailed by the USPTO in November 2004 to the prior, obsolete, correspondence address and returned undelivered to the USPTO. In other words, the office action was mailed to the wrong correspondence address.

In August 2005, the Examiner called us and indicated that the office action was to be remailed to the correct correspondence address. The Examiner requested that we send a "Confirmation of correspondence address," and we did so by facsimile to the USPTO on August 11, 2005. Later that same month, the Examiner called and requested that we submit a "Request to have office action mailed." We did so by facsimile to the USPTO on August 24, 2005.

More recently, in August 2006, the Examiner has indicated in telephone conversations that he is still looking into the proper procedure to follow for this application. Apparently, the office action has not yet been mailed by the USPTO to the correct correspondence address.

Applicants respectfully submit that the office action should be re-mailed by the USPTO to the correct correspondence address. Support for this can be found in MPEP 707.13 which states as follows.

707.13 Returned Office Action

Office actions are sometimes returned to the Office because the United States Postal Service has not been able to deliver them. The examiner should use every reasonable means to ascertain the correct address and forward the action again, after stamping it "remailed" with the date thereof and redirecting it if there is any reason to believe that the action would reach applicant at such new address. If the Office action was addressed to an attorney, a letter may be written to the inventor or assignee informing him or her of the returned action. The period running against the application begins with the date of remailing. Exparte Gourtoff, 1924 C.D. 153, 329 O.G. 536 (Comm'r Pat. 1924).

(Emphasis added.)

Favorable action is respectfully requested. If there are any questions regarding this application, please call James Okamoto at (408) 436-2111.

Respectfully submitted,

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